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**AMENDMENT C**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated February 13, 2006, please amend the above-identified patent application as indicated in the following pages.

**Amendments to the Drawings** begin on page 2 of this paper and include both an attached replacement sheet and an annotated sheet showing changes.

**Remarks** begin on page 3 of this paper.